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In re the application of:)
Thomas et al.)
Application No: 09/098,279)
Filed: June 16, 1998)
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR)
REMOTE MONITORING AND CONTROL)
OVER A COMPUTER NETWORK)

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated July 30, 2003, Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, group I, claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 7-9, 11-18, drawn to the surveillance system used for the computer network, classified in class 348, subclass 15, to prosecute in the above-identified patent application.

Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this matter, the undersigned can be reached at the telephone number set out below.

Respectfully submitted,
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